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For: COSMETIC COMPOSITION)	
CONTAINING A POLYMER AQUEOUS)	
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SILICONE EMULSION AND METHOD)	

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97(b), Applicants bring to the attention of the Examiner the documents listed on the attached PTO Form 1449. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the mailing date of a first Office Action after the filing of a Request for Continued Examination in the above-referenced application.

Copies of the listed documents are attached. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the listed documents and indicate that they were considered by making appropriate notations on the attached form.

English-language abstracts of the non-English documents are enclosed. With respect to Japanese Unexamined Patent Application, First Publication No.

Hei 8-511272, U.S. Patent No. 5,720,964 is believed to be an English-language family member thereof. Also, with respect to Japanese Unexamined Patent Application, First Publication No. Hei 9-110630, U.S. Patent No. 6,165,446 is believed to be an English-language family member thereof.

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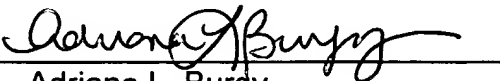
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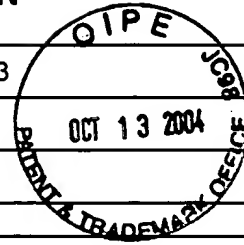
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	1	5,720,964	2/24/1998	Murray			
	2	6,165,446	12/26/2000	Samain et al.			

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
		Document Number	Publication Date	Country	Class	Sub Class	Translation Yes or No
	3	Hei 8-511272	11/26/1996	Japan			Abstract
	4	Hei 9-110630	4/28/1997	Japan			Abstract

OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)	
5	English-language DERWENT abstract of JP 8-511272.
6	English-language DERWENT abstract of JP 9-110630.

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